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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL
PATENT
Docket No.:12013/58401

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS : James J. BARRY, et al.
APPLICATION NO. : 09/842,833
FILING DATE : April 27, 2001
FOR : METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DELIVERY
OF COATED IMPLANTS
EXAMINER : Alvin J. Stewart
GROUP ART UNIT : 3738
CUSTOMER NO. : 23838

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**RESPONSE TO THE MARCH 7, 2006, FINAL OFFICE ACTION;
EXAMINER INTERVIEW SUMMARY; AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

SIR:

This is a response to the March 7, 2006, Final Office action, which set a shortened period of response extending to and including June 7, 2006. This also summarizes the examiner interview of May 11, 2006.

While no fee is believed to be due, the Commissioner is authorized to debit or credit deposit account No. 11-0600 for any fees associated with this application.

Entry of the following amendment is requested in order to place the application in better condition for appeal. The undersigned submits that no new issues are raised.